

AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS:

1. (Currently Amended) A terminal for concatenating recorded audio data packages each having a predefined length, ~~such as SAM messages,~~ into an audio message of variable length, each of said recorded audio data packages forwarded from said terminal to a receiving terminal through an interconnecting telecommunication network, and said terminal comprising:
 - (a) a user interface configured ~~adapted~~ to display on a display a first counter counting recorded length of audio data being recorded in an audio data package and a second counter counting number of recorded audio data packages,
 - (b) a recorder configured for recording each of said audio data packages,
 - (c) a concatenation unit configured for concatenating said recorded audio data packages into said audio message, and
 - (d) a transmitter configured for transmitting each of said recorded concatenated audio data packages through said telecommunication network to said receiving terminal.
2. (Currently Amended) A terminal according to claim 1, wherein said recorder comprises a microphone configured for recording voice and/or a keypad configured for generating sounds.
3. (Currently Amended) A terminal according to claim 1, wherein said predefined ~~predetermined~~ length of said audio data package is in the range between 10 seconds to 3 minutes.
4. (Previously Presented) A terminal according to claim 1, wherein said terminal comprises a mobile or cellular telephone, a personal digital assistant, a computer, or any combination thereof.
5. (Previously Presented) A terminal according to claim 1, wherein said receiving terminal comprises a mobile or cellular telephone, a personal digital assistant, a computer, or any combination thereof.

6. (Currently Amended) A terminal according to claim 1, wherein said receiving terminal comprises a computer terminal in a computer network, said computer terminal being configured ~~adapted~~ to connect to said telecommunication network through a gateway interconnecting said telecommunication network and said computer network.
7. (Previously Presented) A terminal according to claim 1, wherein said telecommunication network is a wireless telecommunication network.
8. (Original) A terminal according to claim 7, wherein said wireless telecommunication network uses a general packet radio service transmission format.
9. (Original) A terminal according to claim 7, wherein said wireless telecommunication network uses universal mobile telecommunication service transmission format.
10. (Currently Amended) A system for communicating concatenated recorded audio data packages each having a predefined length, ~~such as SAM messages,~~ into an audio message of variable length, and said system comprising:
 - (a) a transmitting terminal configured ~~adapted~~ to generate said concatenated recorded audio data packages and to transmit each of said recorded audio data packages, and comprising:
 - (i) a user interface configured ~~adapted~~ to display on a display a first counter counting recorded length of audio data being recorded in an audio data package and a second counter counting number of recorded audio data packages,
 - (ii) a recorder configured for recording each of said audio data packages,
 - (iii) a concatenation unit configured for concatenating said recorded audio data packages into said audio message, and
 - (iv) a transmitter configured for transmitting each of said recorded concatenated audio data packages; ~~and through said telecommunication network to said receiving terminal.~~

- (b) a receiving terminal configured for receiving said concatenated recorded audio data packages from said transmitting terminal and comprising:
 - (i) a receiver configured for receiving said concatenated recorded audio data packages and for configuring said concatenated recorded audio data packages into said audio message, and
 - (ii) a loudspeaker configured for playing said audio message, ~~and~~
- ~~(c) a telecommunication network interconnecting said transmitting and receiving terminal.~~

11. (Currently Amended) A system according to claim 10, wherein said recorder of said transmitting terminal comprises a microphone configured for recording voice and/or a keypad for generating sounds.

12. (Previously Presented) A system according to claim 10, wherein said receiving terminal comprises a mobile or cellular telephone, a personal digital assistant, a computer, or any combination thereof.

13. (Currently Amended) A system according to claim 10 further comprises a computer terminal in a computer network*connecting to a said telecommunication network through a gateway interconnecting said telecommunication network with said computer network.

14. (Original) A system according to claim 13, wherein said computer network comprises a wired or wireless local area network, metropolitan area network, wide area network, inter-network, television network, power network, or any combination thereof.

15. (Currently Amended) A system according to claim 10, wherein the transmitting terminal and the receiving terminal are interconnected via said telecommunication network is a wireless telecommunication network.

16. (Original) A system according to claim 15, wherein said wireless telecommunication network uses a general packet radio service transmission format.

17. (Original) A system according to claim 15, wherein said wireless telecommunication network uses universal mobile telecommunication service transmission format.

18. (Currently Amended) A method for concatenating recorded audio data packages each having a predefined length, ~~such as SAM messages~~, into an audio message of variable length, each of said recorded audio data packages forwarded from a transmitting terminal to a receiving terminal through an interconnecting telecommunication network, and said method comprising:

- (a) directing the display ~~displaying~~, when a first counter is smaller than said predefined length, of said first counter and a second counter by means of a display on said transmitting terminal, said first counter counting recorded length of audio data being recorded in an audio data package and said second counter counting number of recorded audio data packages,
- (b) directing the recording, when said first counter is smaller than said predefined length, of an audio data package by means of a recorder in said transmitting terminal,
- (c) concatenating said recorded audio data packages into said audio message by means of a concatenation unit in said transmitting terminal, and
- (d) directing the transmission of ~~transmitting~~ each of said recorded concatenated audio data packages through said telecommunication network to said receiving terminal by means of a transmitter in said transmitting terminal.

19. (Previously Presented) A user interface for implementation in a terminal according to claim 1.

20. (New) A terminal according to claim 1, wherein the recorded audio data packages are short audio messaging (SAM) messages.